Glassy-Winged Sharpshooter Project Department of Pesticide Regulation 830 K Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Tulare Co. Meeting Notes

Meeting Date: June 12, 2000

Meeting Venue: Tulare County Ag. Commissioner Visalia, CA.

Attendees:

Tulare County Ag. Comm.: Dan Bigham, Lenord Craft, Dennis Haines, Gary Kunkel, C. Lynn Thomas.

CDFA: Jim Rudig

Tulare Co. Health & Human Services Agency: Lawrence Dwoskin

DPR (EHAP): Nina Bacey, Kean S. Goh, Roger Sava

Purpose: To coordinate environmental monitoring of insecticide sprays in Porterville.

- 1) Currently 30 properties in Porterville have GWSS infestations; more intensive survey is underway.
- 2) County is proceeding with contracting process to have a PCO treat properties with ground applications of carbaryl. Multiple applications may be made. Treatment could start the week of June 19th.
- 3) Turf will not be treated since this is not on the host list for GWSS.
- 4) There will be a town hall meeting in Porterville on Wednesday June 14, 3-8 pm. DPR's Environmental Hazards Assessment Program (EHAP) will participate in the meeting and in hosting a table to discuss DPR's environmental monitoring efforts.
- 5) EHAP shared monitoring protocol and process. And acknowledged the prior review by Ag. Comm.
- 6) EHAP explained coordinating the monitoring efforts with County Ag. Comm. and that all draft reports will be routed through Ag. Comm. and CDFA for reviews before final release.
- 7) EHAP will only contact homeowners after the Town Hall meeting and only after Ag. Comm. had informed the homeowners of the sprays.
- 8) EHAP however will proceed with a general site survey for water bodies e.g. Tule River and Porter Slough that may potentially be impacted.

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